



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Atsuhsia NAKASHIMA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2853

Application No.: 10/669,876

Examiner: J. STEPHENS

Filed: September 25, 2003

Docket No.: 117317

For: BELT CONVEYING MECHANISM FOR INK-JET RECORDING APPARATUS AND  
INK-JET RECORDING APPARATUS INCLUDING IT

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the April 19, 2005 Office Action, the shortened statutory period for response being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**